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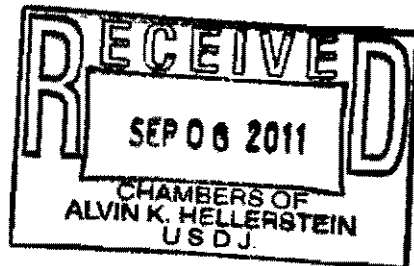
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## VIA HAND DELIVERY

Honorable Alvin K. Hellerstein  
United States Courthouse  
Room 1050  
500 Pearl Street  
New York, New York 10007



Re: Solimine, et al. v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc. (09-civ-3107-AKH)

Dear Honorable Judge Hellerstein:

Enclosed please find a courtesy copy of the parties' Joint Motion to Stay Proceedings, which was filed electronically with the Court on September 1, 2011 in the above-referenced matter.

Sincerely,

*Joseph J. Bernasky*  
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*The case is stayed until Sep. 7, 2012 at which time all counsel shall appear before me for a conference (at 10:00 a.m.), or sooner notice by letter will to end the stay.*